

**600.20 Availability of assistance.**

Financial assistance shall be available only if the child to be adopted was under the guardianship of the state, county, or a licensed child-placing agency immediately prior to adoption. The one-hundred-eighty-day period of residence in the proposed home required in [section 600.10](#) shall not apply to [this section](#).

[C73, 75, §600.14; C77, 79, 81, §600.20]

Referred to in [§600.5](#), [§600.18](#), [§600.22](#), [§627.19](#)